IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION AT DAYTON

LARRY E. EALY,

Petitioner,

Case No. 3:08-cy-473

-VS-

District Judge Walter Herbert Rice Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

SHERIFF PHIL PLUMMER.

Respondent.

ORDER ADOPTING SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Court has reviewed the Supplemental Report and Recommendations of United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (Doc. No. 9), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and that the time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) expired on February 6, 2009, hereby ADOPTS said Supplemental Report and Recommendations.

It is therefore ORDERED that the Petition herein be dismissed without prejudice for failure to exhaust available state court remedies. Because reasonable jurists would not disagree with this conclusion, Petitioner is denied leave to appeal in forma pauperis and any requested certificate of appealability. WRILL

February 9, 2009.

Walter Herbert Rice United States District Judge